



RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 2823

PATENT

Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 04329.3210

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Takeshi Shibata et al.) Group Art Unit: 2823
Application No.: 10/743,522) Examiner: Nguyen, Khiem D.
Filed: December 23, 2003) Confirmation No.: 7673
For: STENCIL MASK WITH CHARGE-UP) Mail Stop AF
PREVENTION AND METHOD OF)
MANUFACTURING THE SAME)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed May 14, 2007, the period for response to which extends through August 14, 2007, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section of this paper.